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SONOMA'S SOLDIERS TO BE IN HISTORY

Blanks May Be Obtained At Library For Book Being Complied By State

At a meeting of the Library Trustees Wednesday an interesting communication was received relative to the data of the war for a book of history being compiled by the state of California. The names of Sonoma soldiers and sailors in the service is sought for this book which will honor the sons of our Golden State who answered the call to the colors.

Blanks which should be properly filled out and sent to the California War History Committee at Sacramento may be obtained from Librarian Kate McDonnell.

GREETS MOTHER ON HER BIRTHDAY

Chas. Poppe, prosperous merchant of Glen Ellen and former postmaster was in town Thursday celebrating his 65th anniversary. The celebration consisted of a call on his mother, Mrs. J. A. Poppe, the pioneer lady merchant still hale and hearty at 99 years. Mother and son had a pleasant day together. Mr. Poppe does not look 65 years and has his old-time smile which has won him many friends. Congratulations Charley!

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to extend our sincere thanks to our friends for the kindness sympathy and beautiful floral offerings extended to us in our sad bereavement in the loss of our loving mother.

Mrs. H. Weyl.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Knackstedt.
Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Cook.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Stockwell and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Knackstedt.

Mrs. Susie Shaw of Burlingame has been visiting Mrs. E. E. Bennett of Schellville.

APPLES TOO, ENRICH SONOMA FARMERS

13,000 boxes of apples were shipped by the Sonoma Valley Apple Growers Association this season and commanded a better price than ever before. The Gravenstein apples are said to have netted the orchadists $1.71 per box for 4 tier boxes and $1.21 net for 4½ tier boxes. There prices were for the apples as they came from the orchard in the picking boxes, all expense of packing for shipment being borne by the purchasers. This is the first season that the apple growers here have organized

Superintendent Munk of the Glove Factory was away on a short vecation over the last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wachlin will remain in possession of Villa Savoy at El Verano until the expiration of their lease in April.

NEW INFLUENZA CASES DEVELOPED THIS WEEK

After a few days lull, the dread influenza broke out this week again in several families in Sonoma and vicinity. Miss Annie Ricci, Miss N. Hansen and Miss Tillmanshoffer have had severe attacks of the malady. The glove factory has been hit by the re-appearance of the disease in its midst but many loyal workers are carrying on work in the cutting and sewing departments.

The High School reopened last Monday and the attendance has been steadily increasing. The Library has also been reopened and the churches had services last Sunday morning.

The county mask ordinance will cease operation today. School will reopen Monday.

P. W. Moscowite, a machine gun operator, who was at one time reported missing and given up for dead is still in a French hospital and has been unable to send his mother here the label for his Xmas box. The Red Cross has been appealed to for an extra label so that young Moscowite will not spend a lonesome Christmas without a cheering box from home.

OTTO DRESEL WAS WOUNDED

Soldier Son Of Well Known Vineyardist Received Machine Gun Bullet During Battle

Otto Dresel, son of Carl Dresel the pioneer viticulturest who has been over in France sometime with his division of the army and was attached to the medical corps was wounded during a recent engagement He was acting as a stretcher bearer and was struck by a machine gun bullet which penetrated the fleshy part of his back. The plucky young soldier gave himself first aid treatment and then hiked five miles to the nearest dressing station where his wound was attended to. Later he was in the hospital but in a letter to his folks here made light of his injury. Otto Dresel was stationed at Camp Lewis for sometime and came home for a short stay just prior to his leavetaking for France.

THE STORK MAKES VISIT

The interesting announcement comes from San Francisco that Mr. and Mrs. Mike Manuck nee Juanita Haraszthy are the parents of a darling baby girl born at St. Francis hospital.

FUNERAL OF TOM BUTLER

Tom Butler was laid to rest here through the generosity of former acquaintances and friends. He was given a decent burial Wednesday and many flowers covered his last resting place.

Butler was a good mechanic but died without funds. Relatives in New York and Los Angeles were sought but no one came forward to arrange for his funeral. He was supposed to have a brother, a former undertaken of New York but although undertaken H. F. Bates wired there and made every effort to find his relatives, he was without success so after holding the remains a week, the burial was decided upon.

THANKSGIVING DINNER

The Union Hotel announce a fine turkey dinner on Thanksgiving day, both noon and evening at 75c per plate Phone for reservations.

adv.

TO EXPERIMENT WITH NEW WHEAT

B. S. Cole, agricultural teacher of the Sonoma High School, has arranged with the University experimental department to furnish the boys agricultural clubs with six new varieties of wheat for experimental planting. The varieties are Kuborka, Maronani, Improved White Australian Bok, Sonora and Props. By applying to Mr. Cole our young farmers will be given the seed.

Mrs. Monroe is quite ill with the "flu" and Dr. Gobar is in attendance. Her son-in-law Mr. Morrison is also sick.

Miss Allene Poulson has been ill with the "flu"

Mrs. Susie Batchelor has been on the sick list this week and absent from her position at the Glove Factory.

John Pluth of the Eagle has returned from a two weeks vacation at the home of his sister in Albin, Mendocino Co.

Dr. Gobar reports the condition of Mrs. Art. Gale as much improved this week.

The total collection of the U. W. W. on hand at 2 p.m. yesterday as reported by Capt. Tom Baines was $4000.62. In addition $12.50 is pledged and $2.00 to be collected. Total is $4015.12.

Clarence Merlinjones, nephew of Judge Leopold Justi, and son of a pioneer Sonoma editor, is doing hospital work over in France where he is attached to one of the distinguished units in the work of relieving the sick and wounded.

A new concrete bridge will be put in by the Supervisors near Eldridge. W. L. Jenkins has the contract, the price being $1820.

Marion Pancrazi Greeley of Glen Ellen was given a final decree of divorce from Benjamin Greeley at Santa Rosa this week.

NOTICE

On and After Monday, Oct. 7, I will be prepared to furnish customers with pure, fresh milk. Evening delivery in Sonoma. Quarts, $3.50; Pints, $1.75 per month. Phone 10F3
S. V. Hatchery, F. J. Hansen.

SEVERELY WOUNDED OFFICIAL REPORT

Frank Engler, Brave Sonoma Boy After Recovery From Being Gassed Is Again In Battle and Condition Is Critical.

That Private Frank Engler, son of George Engler of this place, must have been released from the hospital in France to return to the Front is evident from the following sad news received by wwire:

Washington, D. C. 7:56 P.M. Nov. 20, 1918.
Miss Aimee Engler, Sonoma, Calif.,

Deeply regret to inform you that it is officially reported that Private Frank Engler, Field Artillery, was severely wounded in action, further information when received.

Harris, The Adj. General 6:55 P.M.

Young Engler was gassed at Chateau Thierry in July and wrote that he was convalescent. Nothing was heard of his subsequent movements until the above telegram came.

The family is much exercised over the condition of the brave young soldier who has faced some terrible ordeals of the war since joining the colors. Engler was formerly a Northwestern Pacific employee and has many friends throughout Marin, Sonoma and Mendocino counties.

MARSHAL ALBERTSON SICK

City Marshal James H. Albertson is confined to his home with pneumonia. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

NEW BUSINESS MEN

Al Dutil and A. Chelini have purchased the Sonoma Valley Bakery from Bertellotte and Son. These popular El Verano residents will be a welcome addition to our local business men and much success is predicted for them.

WON SUIT FOR SLANDER

Bob Rowe won his suit against the Fetters. It went to the jury yesterday who deliberated a little over 2 hours. Rowe gets $1200.

BRING JELLY FOR SICK SOLDIERS

On Wednesday next you can bring jelly and preserves for the sick soldiers at the Letterman hospital S. F. to the Womans Club House. They will be taken in charge and forwarded by the committee headed by Mrs. E. C. Campbell.

EXPRESSES APPRECIATION

I hereby extend hearty appreciation to all co-workers for the splendid effort and cooperation given in the recent United War Work drive. The united effort of all the loyal lieutenants and the response of the people of the Sonoma Valley are to be much commended.

Thanking all those who assisted in putting Sonoma Valley "over the top".

Very Sincerely
Thos. Baines

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. McQuiddy are the parents of a baby boy. Mother and son are doing nicely.

LAID TO REST IN FAMILY PLOT

Mrs. H. L. Luttrell Who Was One Of Law Sisters Brought Here For Burial

In the quiet cemetery of Sonoma, where sleep loved ones gone before, the remains of a former resident Mrs. H. L. Luttrell of Sparks, Nevada was laid to rest on Wednesday. Mrs. Luttrell spent her girlhood here and as Nettie Law was a Glen Ellen girl, one of several sisters of a prominent family of that section. She married Lee Lutrell son of Ex-Congressman J. K. Luttrell and left this valley 27 years ago. At the time of here demise she was residing in Sparks where her husband is connected with the railroad company. Two children mourn her devotion, a son H. K. Luttrell of the U. S. Navy and a daughter Mrs. Morton of Sparks whose husband is now in France.

Mrs. Luttrell was a victim of influenza and was thought to be convalescent when she suddenly had a relapse and passed away. Her sailor boy had planned to visit her but was unable to get the required furlough and thedisappointment of his not coming seemed to have a serious effect on the patient who had been buoyed up by the thought of seeing him.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Luttrell had a warm place in their hearts for Sonoma Valley friends and had planned to spend their 30th. wedding anniversary here. Mr Luttrell husband of deceased was a guard at Folson prison for twelve years and after that located with his family in Nevada where he has followed railroading for 16 years The sad return to Sonoma this week was the occassion of the reunion of many former old time friends and relatives who came to pay their last respects to Nettie Law Luttrell and to condole with the bereaved ones. Interment was at Mountain Cemetery.

Miss Nellie O'Brien has been home on a visit to the ranch west of El Verano.

Robert La Torres, son of Chas. La Torres, the local merchant, has been very ill in a San Francisco hospital with the influenza the past two weeks. He was expected home from the hospital Monday.

Miss Roberta Poppe who has had a vacation from teacher's duties has been home with her porents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Poppe of Glen Ellen.

Mrs. Arthur Fisk was a visitor to Santa Rosa this week.

Miss Ruth Maxwell is demonstrating the health of out of door life and exercise despite the widely prevelent epidemic. She is plowing her own farm which has made a record yield this season. The prune crop and live stock from Miss Maxwell's ranch are worthy of mention.

Harry Burmester accompanied by his mother went down to S. F. Thursday where Harry underwent an operation for water on the knee. His many friends trust he will recover rapidly and be entirely cured.

Miss Myrtle Minkel has been visiting friends in San Francisco and suburbs.

MIKE CUMMINGS IS HOST

Mike Cummings was host at the White House Grill one night last week to a number of county officers, in honor of their success at the recent election, and to members of the draft boards. Mr. Cummings had as his guests James A. Petray, sheriff-elect;; Joe Ryan of Sonoma, who is to serve under Sheriff Petray in the Sonoma section; Ben H. Barnes who will be a deputy sheriff; Charles Lee of Santa Rosa, Maynard Young and M. V. Frost of the draft boards; J. M. Alexander, J A. Mc Minn and William Hill. A splendid banquet was served by the White House Grill, and happy after-dinner talks were made by Sheriff-elect Petray and Charles Lee. The event was greatly enjoyed by the participants.

—Healdsburg Tribune

GRAMMAR SCHOOL TO REOPEN

The Grammar School will reopen on Monday, Nov. 25th after a 5 week vacation on account of precaution against the "flu."

HIS HONOR TESTIFIED

Judge Lester Small was called to Santa Rosa Wednesday as a witness in the Rowe-Fetter case. His testimony had to do with a conversation he had with defendant last May when she came to his office to swear a warrant for Rowe after the dog fight at Fetters station between the canines of Rowe and Fetters which mixup led to the present slander suit.

Assemblyman Robert Madison is suffering from a sprained ankle which he sustained Tuesday while in the country on business. He slipped and sprained his left ankle and will be on crutches for some time to come.

The extra Red Cross labels for Xmas boxes to be sent our boys over seas have been received and may be had by applying to the Sonoma postoffice.

Gus. H. Alber of Oakland was up over the last week end.

SONOMA HIGH GRADUATE DIES

Mrs. John Trusty nee Olive Trowbridge Succumbs To Influenza At Tulare

Mrs. John Trusty, who will be remembered as Olive Trowbridge, a bright student and graduate of the Sonoma High School died last week in Tulare of influenza. Mrs Trusty left four little children and a devoted husband to mourn her untimely passing

The sad news of her death was received in a telegram to her friend Mrs. Frank Knolle of Vineburg.. Mr and Mrs. Trusty formerly resided at Glen Ellen, their wedding six years ago being a happy event in the social events of that section. They have been residing in Tulare for some time past.

CARD OF THANKS

The family and relatives of the late Mrs. Lee Luttrell herewith express sincere thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses shown them at their return to Sonoma on the sad mission of burying their beloved one. To each and all we are deeply grateful including the Order of Eastern Star for their words of sympathy and many beautiful floral pieces.

H. L. Luttrell
H. K. Luttrell
Eva Morton
Mrs. A. J. Hubsch
Mrs. W. C. Bevington
Owen G. Law

Landers Stevens, the progressive resident of Boyes Springs who is always helping Sonoma Valley to a better place on the map when he is not on the road in the show business, has returned here after a highly successful engagement which terminated in Texas. He and his clever wife. Georgie Cooper, have been producing "The Iron Cross."

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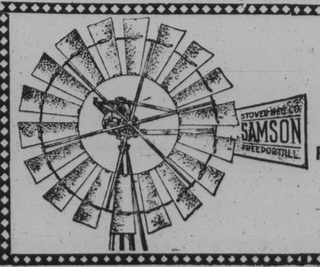

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Bolshevism Does Not Apply Here

THE FUTURE of the United States is one of tremendous promise and nothing can keep it back from the great strides it will make and the potent place it will take in the affairs of the world provided we remain united.

The enemy countries which have come to the end of their rope are secretly hoping and probably aiming to scatter in this country of wonderful possibility, the seeds of Bolshevism and they should be watched for and stamped out as a plague. We have seen in Mexico how selfish interests have fomented revolution and can understand how it can be successfully pulled off in countries like that and like Russia where the masses are but children, trustful and easily duped by the fascinating fairy tales recited to their eager ears by self seeking leaders. The exploitation of the masses is a favorite pursuit of those who aim at self aggrandizement or who operate in the interest of those of evil design. Intelligence of the masses is the only safeguard.

It does not appear probable that Germany will ever be caught in the vortex of a Bolshevik program. However dissatisfied with conditions as they existed in the past, their intellegence will save them from plunging into a political whirlpool obviously destructive, to any organized effort or accomplishment. They know the failure of autocracy, which is the other extreme and so it seems quite safe to predict that Germany is capable of organizing a highly successful and efficient democratic government.

The United States must look sharp to its internal and domestic affairs, for already labor leaders are hinting at the psychological development of the Bolshevik movement throughout the world and intimating its dangers in this country provided labor is not given the greatest consideration. This kind of leadership should be relegated to its proper place of obscurity by the self assertion of the thousands of splendid American workingmen who form the rank and file and are the real back-bone of the country. Anything akin to Bolshevism is out of joint when sought to fit conditions in this great democracy of ours which for years past has been assimilating as fast as feasible and practical all the good in social reform and idealism. The way we have handled the radicalism of the country has been marvelous and there is no question but that the sincere seekers for betterment are satisfied with the progress we are making. The United States is the pride of every good citizen and those who are not proud of it and seek to stir up dissatisfaction with our institutions should be given short shift.

That Pill With Piteous Coating

THE FEEDING of suffering humanity in Europe should be left to our allies over there and carried out by them as they see the necessity for it. If they deem it advisable for the United States to aid, we will show the proper spirit. The idea, however should be carefully considered. It seems to us that the food cry, following so closely upon the cessation of hostilities, was for the purpose of immediately applying a coat of sympathy to the bitterness which the war had engendered in America. To slap on this carefully prepared salve of pity for the starving enemy was a clever idea and bears all the ear-marks of having come out of the German mortar and pestle. The United States tried to swallow it but we gulped it all the way down and we expelled most of it before it got very far. Nothing German should be swallowed impulsively. Let us put it under the lens of reason and confer with our allies for due consideration.

It is very true that hunger begets anarchy, crime and dissatisfaction, but a cry from the throats of a hungry multitude need not be sent across the seas to us if it really be bona-fide. It is of inter-allied interest to see that such a condition does not prevail but the long distance appeal and the instantaneous resort to a plea of sympathy leads to suspicion that German propagandists were losing no time in an effort to soften the hearts of America toward the enemy.

American hearts will be softened when we have been shown that a new spirit has filled the hearts of the people there and that they are dominated by new and better impulses and have extripated every atom of Hindenbergism and Hohenzollerinism from their calculations.

Familiarity with propaganda of the German type should make us not only quick to see its negative working, but quick to discern also the positive sort or what the enemy might term constructive propaganda—the kind that would build up an approach to our good offices as was intended by routing the hunger plea via America.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT that 19 distilleries brought only $205,000 at auction though estimated formerly as worth five million dollars, goes to show how the threats of destruction through legislative cranks' manipulation can deteriorate business. Not only is the government deprived of the revenue from these former big tax payers, and the burden shifted to the people's pocketbooks, but like the sword of Damocles, this endless program of reform hangs over the heads of business concerns and ruins their stability and credit absolutely. Our vineyards and wineries are in a similar fix, not through any lack of industry, thrift, or business acumen but through arbitrary question of their legitimacy and threat to put them out of business and ruin them artificially and arbitrarily. That such a condition should obtain after California's repudiation of Amendment No. 22, is not a very reassuring sort of democracy.

IT SEEMS LIKE a lot of labor difficulties could be easily overcome if men would consider that employers do not pay for the union status, but for services rendered. The real quality of this service regardless of the label is what counts. Too often organized labor wants the employer to accept the stamp and is not particular about delivering the essential—real work. Then there is a clash. This is the phase of unionism which needs fixing.

THE OLD SAYING that one half of the world does not know how the other half lives is to be scrapped, for world-wide prohibition is the latest wrinkle and reformers are going to see that everybody in the world lives a lie, or rather lives "dry."

Sonoma Valley Makes $4,000 Quota in United War Work Drive

Generous Response and Fine Work Of Committee Commended By Chairman Emmet Seawell.

What was believed to be a hard pull in making Sonoma Valley's quota of $4,000 in the United War Work drive has been accomplished and it was announced yesterday that we had gone "over the top". Thus another feather is added to the cap of the loyal "valley of the moon."

At noon, Thursday, the committee was about $160 short of the quota and there was some tall rustling with a call for added subscriptions. Robt. A. Poppe led off with an additional $10.00 and ere night all but a few dollars were realized, a belated dollar here and there finally rolled in and at last when solicitor Walter Bundschu handed in a $1.00 contribution from a donor in his district, the quota was passed and $4,001.57 was joyously announced.

Following are the donors in the various districts;

Walter B. Bundschu, Team Captain
Walter B. Bundschu, Solicitor

A. Trautvetter, 2.00; Walter B. Bundschu, 20.00; Mrs. Frank Shaw, 10.00; Henry Rigal, 1.00; Louis Martin, 3.00; Grover Rubke, 2.00; W. R. Hansen, 5.00; I. Anderson, 2.00; E. Forni, 2.50; Mrs. H. Gleisberg, 1.00; I. McCosker, 1.00; A. H. Rubke, 1.00; F. A. Lowell, 10.00; J. H. Coops, 10.00; Mrs. H. Johannsen, 5.00; Mr. and Mrs. D. Colli, 3.00; A. Rouqui, Sr., 2.00; John Gross, 1.00; Fred Batto, 10.00; Adele Andrieux, 3.00; Theo. Anthony, 2.00; Mrs. Theo. Anthony, 2.00; C. Dresel, 5.00; F. C. Rhode, 2.50; Ph Bill Sr., 1.00; A. H Fillippini, 5.00; C L Fillipini, 5.00; S Sartori, 5.00; F. Thompson, 5.00; A Crivelli, 5.00; Mrs. A Stoneberg, 1.00 A Trappe, 2.00; J A Boberg, .50; Mr Hinman, .50; A L Beard, 1.00; F W Carscadden, .50; H Richardson, 1.00 W Baer, 2.50; Mrs McClaren, 2.00; B Schrempp, 1.00; F L Allen, 1.00; C Gillet, 1.00; John Roeder, 1.00; Fred Berg, .50; F Knolle, 1.00; Chas. Deane, 1.00; Lydia Culbertson, 1.00; Mrs. S Culbertson, 1.00; Chas. Grosskopf, 2.00; O Rehaag, 1.00; John Batto, 5.00; Arthur Batto, 5.00; E Cutter, 5.00; G W Jenkins, 1.00; R H Ring, 5.00; Mrs. C A Zahlout, .50; J D Halstead, .50; Theodore Pierson, 25.00; Mr and Mrs John Wadsworth, 10.00; Henry C Hyde, 5.00; Giegrich & Callahan, 5.00; Mr and Mrs Peter Dierx, 2.00; A R Bird, 5.00; Geo. McGill, 5.00; Chas Richards, 2.00; F W Dobbel, 5.00; F Holper, 1.00; Mrs C Christiansen, 1.00; Wm Camp, 1.00; Mrs. J G Cornwall, 1.00; Morris Levy 2.00; C Sweedenborg, 1.00; A Grosskopf, 5.00; Chan Lux, 1.00; Fred Schell, 5.00; A Picetti, 10.00; P Rauley, 1.00; Jacob F Mayer, 1.00; Castagnetto Bros., 2.00; W H Blank, 1.00 A J Rouquie, 1.00; P Rasmussen, 2.50; Chas. Stornetti, 5.00; Mr & Mrs F Picetti, 10.00; W H Cordill, 1.50; Mrs. H Roeder, 1.00

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DISTRIBUTION OF THE NEW HOME CARDS ABANDONED

Information has been received from the United States Food Administration that the distribution of the new Home Cards has been abandoned, due to the rapidly changing world conditions and consequent change in the necessity of food instruction.

Ralph P. Meritt, federal food commissioner for California, has been in Washington conferring with Mr. Hoover, and on his return, definite instructions concerning future activities will be sent out. We are asked to hold ourselves in readiness for this new program of conservation which must inevitably be ordered.

The necessity for securing sugar permits for home canning were discontinued on November 9th.

Miss Norma Hansen of El Verano, who has been quite ill with the flu is convalescent.

NAVY STATION GIVES INFORMATION AND THANKS INDEX

W. L. & C. G. Murphy,
Sonoma, California.

Dear Sir:

The Navy's new Engineering School at Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken, New Jersey, is now in full operation, turning out engineer officers for the United States Navy at the rate of 600 per month.

To keep this school going continuously will afford particularly desirable opportunities for the trained engineer in that he is enabled to supplement his schooling and practical experience along technical lines by an intense, applied course of engineering which gives him an opportunity for service during the war as well as fitting him for post-war employment. The course at this School consists of five months intensive training comprising both technical and practical work in the duties of an engineer officer. The School is open to men between the ages of 20 and 40. who possess officer ability and material. Applicants must have had a high school education and have graduated from a recognized technical school in either mechanical, electrical, civil, mining or chemical engineering—or in the absence of above qualifications, applicants must have an education and experience along steam engineering lines which would be judged an equivalent thereof.

Qualified applicants may be inducted into the naval service for the steam engineering school. Upon induction they will be mobilized by the Commandant of the Naval District and held for the next class. Upon arrival at the Steam Engineering School, they will be rated chief machinists mates, with a salary of $83 per month, plus allowances for subsistenence and dependents as well as uniform gratuity. Upon graduation applicants are commissioned ensigns in the Naval Auxiliary Reserve at a salary of $1700.00 per year, plus allowances for sea duty and dependents

Men interested in the above should write direct to the Navy Mobilization Officer, 742 Market Street, San Francisco, or to the Mobilization Inspector, 703 Market Street, San Francisco, for detailed information.

In closing this letter, I wish to particularly thank you and your paper for the many favors you have kindly granted the former naval recruiting service and to ask you, if consistent with the policy of your paper and opportunity affords, to kindly give the above letter publicity.

Again thanking you, I remain,
Very truly yours,
C. H. CRUKER
Lieutenant Commander, USNRF.

RED CROSS SHOP WILL REOPEN MONDAY

The welcome news comes from Manager H. F. Bates that the Red Cross Shop in the Shocken building will reopen Monday and will remain open every day from 1 to 5p.m. now that the "flu" is over. Red Cross work is now more important than ever in this great period of rehabilitation and reconstruction after the war, so donations to the shop will be very welcome as will also the patronage of all desiring servicable and useful articles at bedrock prices The proceeds of the shop up to the date of Nov. 1st. were $171.41 and there is still more in the treasuary by this time. Keep the good work going.

Mrs. Jos. Vella has been visiting friends in the metropolis.

D. Hatton was up from San Francisco over Sunday last.

George Chase and Henry Waltz have won lieutenant commissions.

GOLDEN EAGLE FLOUR

"THANKSGIVING DINNER" will be served this season with an unusually thankful spirit, owing to the Peace Proclamation. That final touch in your baking will insure appetizing and wholesome results, when using "GOLDEN EAGLE FLOUR"

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[From an unsolicited letter. Name of writer given on request.]

Royal Baking Powder Co., New York

ACCUSED OF BEING AN ALIEN ENEMY

Jack Murray landed Max Hoffman, a man who has been residing for some time in the hills back of Caliente, in the county jail last week. Hoffman is charged wath being an alien enemy who failed to register at the time when registry of alien enemies was ordered by the government.

He told the Constable that he did not register because it was raining on the registration day and he did not propose to get wet and that the government had done nothing for him. Murray stated Thursday that the man admitted that he was born in Germany and had come here when four years of age. In looking thru the man's effects Murray says he came across a confirmation certificate showing that Hoffman had been born in 1872, and that he had been confirmed in 1899, which seemingly upsets his statement that he had come here when he claimed.

Hoffman claims to have voted when in the east and made other statements to the officer. He was taken to District Attorney George Hoyle's office and questioned further.

A message was sent to the Department of Justice in San Francisco and the information in the possession of the authorities was laid before the department. A reply came asking that the man be placed in jail awaiting the arrival of o deputy from the Department of Justice to take him to San Francisco.

Paul Vannucchi, popular proprietor of "Pauls" at Verano and also in business in San Francisco, has been confined to his home in that city with the influenza.

Mrs. Mangels, sister of Mrs. Fred Hansen, was among the many San Franciscans who had the flu. Her husband had recently been in the hospital where he underwent a minor operation, so they have had more than their share of sickness since leaving Sonoma.

TOO MUCH SALUTEM, NOT ENOUGH SHOOTEM

Several Indians from this county, and especially from Mendocino county, have been inducted into the service of their country through the selective draft act. The natural tendency of the Indian is to fight hard when he is at it., and the more he is permitted to fight the better he likes it. When the Indians entered the service they were of the opinion that they were going to be sent at once into battles,, and they were anxious to do their share in the restoration of peace.

One of the Indians from this section was recently approached by an officer "somewhere in France" and was asked how he liked the war, The Indian grunted "no like"

"Why do you not like the war?" asked the officer.

"Too much salutem; not enough shootem," came the quick responce.

"Do you know what the war is about?" queried the officer.

"Sure, I do: to make the world safe for Democratic party."

SOME PUMPKINS AT THE RED CROSS SHOP

J. Mayer, the mayor of Vineburg, has donated some pumpkins to the Red Cross Shop and they will be on sale for Thanksgiving dinners and for pies when the shop opens Monday.

Jake Mayer has a heart as gold as the color of his fine donation and he says some of the soldier boys will be home Thanksgiving and he wants them all to have pumpkin pie "like mother used to make".

Miss Valerie Helberg of San Francisco, fiancee of Lt. Leland Volquardsen, has been visiting her parents at Schellville. Volquardsen has recently been promoted from Junior Lieutenant in the United States Navy to the rank of Lieutenant. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Volquardsen of this valley.

PERMANENT TYPE ROADS BEING ADVOCATED

Chairman Oscar Charles of the Board of Supervisors of Sonoma county stated the other day that early in the new year the matter of bonding Sonoma county for the building of good, permanent roads would be actively promulgated. In making this statement he acted as spokesman for the other members of the board.

"You can state positively that the bonding of the county for the building of roads will be undertaken early in the new year and is under discussion by the supervisors now, and has been for some time. The general awakening to the fact that good roads mean everything in a county and state is such that there is a public demand for such improvement. The supervisors are heartily in accord with the movement for issuing if bonds to build roads" said Chairman Charles to an interviewer.

This will be most interesting news to the people all over the county and it is the crystallization of sentiment that has been expressed for some time past that the only way in which the county could ever boast of highways which would attract to this section and mean increased production of crops everywhere on account of the improvement in hauling facilities is by doing away with patchwork on roads and building permanent roads to cope with the advance of the times.

Another point made yesterday was that after-war preparedness for future development of the county—which is surely coming—demands that the bonding of the county for good roads be no longer delayed.

The recent report made by the expert of the Public Roads Bureau of the United States Department in Sonoma county developed much valuable data which will be very useful in the future planning and locating of roads and the general scheme.

Ie is believed that the Sonoma County Taxpayers' Association and such organizations as the State Automobile Association, chambers of commerce and other bodies in this county, will be in line for the wonderful development that will accrue when the county has good permanent roads

—Press Democrat.

GENERAL PERSHING TO AMERICAN FARMERS

This message of appreciation from General Pershing to American farmers was received by Carl Vrooman, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture, who is now in France with a committee of American agricultural representatives:

American Expeditionary Forces, Office of the Commander in Chief, France,
Hon. Carl Vrooman,
Assistant Sesretary of Agriculture.

Dear Mr. Vrooman: —Will you please convey to farmers of America our profound appreciation of their patriotic services to the country and to the allied armies in the field. They have furnished their full quota of fighting men; they have bought largely of Liberty Bonds;; and they have increased their production of food crops both last year and this by over a thousand million bushels above normal production. Food is of vital military necessity for us and our allies, and from the day of our entry into the war America's armies of food producers have rendered invaluable service to the allied cause by supporting the soldiers at the front through their devoted and splendidly successful work in the fields and furrows at home.

Very sincerely,
John J. Pershing.

NEW RULING FOR CHRISTMAS PACKAGES

A new and important ruling regarding Christmas packages for the boys overseas has been made and the Red Cross is at liberty to make the announcement.

All those who have not received their labels for their packages by November 20, may call at the local post-office and secure the same. These special labels have now arrived and are ready for distribution. The mailing date will be extended until November 30 for these special labels only. Persons securing these labels must swear to an affidavit that they are the only ones sending a package to this particular soldier.

At the time of securing the labels in France many of the boys were in the front line trenches and were unable to send them, so the Red Cross has taken up and secured this special ruling for the members of the families who did not receive a label.

This does not mean that those who have received a label may receive another one. Each soldier is entitled to one package, and one only, but this was done for those who had failed to send a label to their families.

PIONEER DAUGHTER CALLED TO HOME ETERNAL

In the death of Rosa Baily, beloved wife of C. W. Baily of San Francisco, which occured November 18th, Sonoma lost a daughter of one of its pioneer families.

Mrs. Baily's maiden name was Levy and she was born here in the Von Geldern block, or what was then the property of D. Modini. Her father was in the merchandise business there in early days and later moved to where the Sonoma Valley Bank now stands. Three of Levy's children were born, in our historic city and Mrs. Baily with her sister, Flora, were frequent visitors here both at the Gillen home and at the home of Mrs. Julia Burris. Deceased had been a sufferer from a chronic malady and her death while not unexpected has brought much sorrow to her husband, brothers and sisters. Her sister, Flora, Mrs. Chas Holland, has been very ill with the influenza.

The funeral of Mrs. Baily took place Wednesday in San Francisco with interment at Mt. Olivet Cemetery

LOUNIBOS DIVORCE IS DENIED BY COURT

Superior Judge Emmet Seawell on Wednesday heard evidence in the divorce action of Bertha Marie Lounibos vs. Emile Paul Lounibos, and Attorneys L. E. Fulwider and L. R. Lombert represented contestants. Witnesses for plaintiff included Julie P. Francard, Adaline Lounibos, Catherine Gallard and the principals,

Defendant took the stand in his own behalf and Marie Boyd was witness for plaintiff. The court decided that neither side had proved their case and divorce is denied.

ROWE SLANDER SUIT HEARD

Long Drawn Out Case Against Fetters Holds Boards at Santa Rosa.

The damage suit filed by R.P. Rowe hockey star and store keeper of Fetters Springs against Mrs. Emma Fetters for slander, finally got under way at Santa Rosa this week. Two substitutions had to be made on the jury since the "flu" got one juror and and accident another. The jury was finally lined up and the barrier sprung Tuesday, although attorney Cowan for the defense asked that the jury be dismissed and the trial be re-set for a later date.

The story of the dog fight and the alleged slanderous remark about Rowe being a "bum" and a "chicken" fancier, were gone into and many witnesses were called. Mrs. Rita Lewis, Mrs. Krecker, Mrs. Nequet, Mrs. Myrtle Graville, Mrs. Mary Quinlan, Mrs. Rowe, Mrs. McQuandt, Jas. McCann, Harry Bader, Fred Edwin, Mrs. Ringressy, Otto Wagner, Judge Small and others were witnesses.

HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT IS URGED BY FARM BUREAU

Good roads for Sonoma County was the most important subject considered by the Farm Bureau directors at their November meeting. The need of highway improvement in the county was recognized by all of the directors present. It was agreed that the desired improvement could best be brought about through unity of action throughout the county, and to this end a committee was appointed to act in cooperation with other organizations for the purpose of thoroughly studying the good roads question in Sonoma County. The idea is that after this study a well defined program should be presented to the public, and that every effort should then be made to put the program into effect. The committee appointed consists of W. C. Quigley, J. R. Denman and E. O. Nelson.

The Farm Bureau Directors also appointed a legislative committee, This committee consists of O. E. Bremner, B. N. Reidsma and J. R. Denman. Its duty will be to inform itself on all legislative matters directly affecting agriculture that will be considered at the State Legislature at its next session.

The resignation of Mrs. E. M. Van Frank as Secretary-treasure of the Farm Bureau was accepted with regret. Mrs. Van Frank leaves the Farm Bureau to accept an important post with the California Development Board in San Francisco. Mr. R. L. Southerland of Bennet Valley was elected to succeed Mrs. Van Frank. Mr. Southerland comes to the Farm Bureau with an excellent reputation for office efficiency and with a wide knowledge of the care of the Farm Bureau exhibit.

Under the auspices of the Farm Bureau Professors Taylor and Overholser of the College of Agriculture will conduct pruning demonstrations throughout the county during the first week in December.

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The largest day in years in Sebastopol was Monday night, when the Analy metropolis celebrated the advent of peace by a victory parade of great magnitude. The Santa Rosa band, under leadership of Prof. H. Ludders, gave the musical selections which thrilled all loyal Americans and was in fine fettle. Prof. Ludders has a large piano class here in Sonoma.

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Estate of John Heugitt, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Frank H. Phillips, administrator of the estate of John Heugitt, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, at the law office of W. T. Mooney, his attorney, rooms 21-22 Gwinn Building, 32 Washington Street, Petaluma, California, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

FRANK H. PHILLIPS
Administrator of the Estate of John Heugitt, Deceased.

Dated at Petaluma, Cal., October 28th, 1918. W. T. Mooney, Attorney for Administrator. Petaulma, California.
First publication November 2nd, 1918

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA.

In the Matter of the Estate and Guardianship of HARRISON MECHAM, FRANCES A MECHAM, CORINNE G. MECHAM, MARGARET C. MECHAM, and FRANKLIN A. MECHAM. Minors.

Order To Show Cause on Application Of Guardian for Order of Sale of Real Estate.

It appearing to this Court, from the Petition this day presented and filed by Corinne B. Mecham, the duly appointed, qualified and acting Guardian of the person and Estate of Franklin A. Mecham, one of said minors, praying for an Order of Sale of certain real estate belonging to said minor, Franklin A. Mecham, and that it is for the best interests of the said minor, Franklin A. Mecham, that such real estate should be sold:

It is hereby, ordered that the next of kin of the said ward, Franklin A. Mecham, and all persons interested in the said Estate appear before this Court on Monday the 16 day of December, 1918 at 10 o'clock A. M. at the Court Room thereof at the City of Santa Rosa, County and State aforesaid, then and there to show cause why an Order should not be granted for the sale of such property of said minor, Franklin A. Mecham:

IT IS FURTHER, Ordered that a copy of this Order be published at least once a week for three successive weeks before the said day of hearing, in the Sonoma Index-Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in the City of Sonoma, County and State aforesaid.

Dated 18th day of November, 1918.

Thos. C. Denny,
Judge of Superior Court.

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Mrs. Lily Goepfert and little one have returned home to San Francisco after a three weeks visit to her mother Mrs. V. Bulotti. About December first Mrs. Bulotti expects to go down to the city where she will spend the greater part of the winter with her daughter.

Joe Andrieux, the record glove cutter of Sonoma and former attache of this office is down with the "flu". His brother, Emile, (Dutch) Andrieux and wife have also been ill with the influenza in San Francisco but are now better.

Mrs. Emily Miller of El Verano who has been ill with double pneumonia is reported out of donger by her physician,

Thos. Harrison, formerly of the London ranch has leased the Santa Rosa race track for a stock farm.

Miss Rhoda McRea who was engaged to teach in the Sonoma High School has resigned her position to take up war work in the hospitals over seas.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Baldesberger, after a 2 weeks visit to Mr. and Mrs. John Coops, returned to their home in Bakersfield on Monday last where Mr. Baldesberger holds a fine position with the Standard Oil Company.

Deputy Road Master Chas. Groskopf is a very busy man at present repairing the roads in this district and you can bet he knows his busni.

Mrs. A. Steur of Alaska and her sister, Miss Josephine Schenkberg of San Francisco are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Colli. Mrs. Steur is the wife of a well known mining man of Alaska who is now on his way to San Francisco.

The late rain has started our farmers to sow and finish getting in their hay and grain crops.

Messrs John Vincent, A Chevalier and Jos Rebaut, all prominent citizens of El Verano, were visitors at Vineburg Inn Sunday last and paid their respects to Louis Martin who was recently injured by being kicked by a horse. Mr. Martin is getting along nicely at present.

It has been reported that our esteemed citizen, Mr. Geo. Cassidy, the well known fruit man, has accepted a position in China under the government as inspector of evaporated apple box shook. That's good, for when it comes to anything about apples, George is there with bells.

Michael A. Bolig, one of Sonoma Valleys progressive poultry men was a visitor in this vicinity Tuesday.

City Trustee Angelo Beretta of Sonoma was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Batto on Thursday.

The many friends of Al Groskopf who is still "over there" will be glad to hear that at last report he was all right and we hope to see "our Al" in the near future.

Chas. McDevitt, former city trustee, contracted the influenza at Truckee and is home here quite ill. Dr. Gobar in in attendance.

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E. T. Lindley, popular manager of the Croley Company announces that the feed store is to move back to the former Duhring ware-house at the N. W. P. depot. It is understood the ware-house has been purchased and will be the firm's permanent home.

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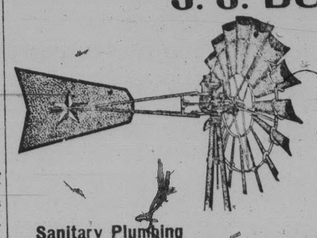
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STEADIER HOG MARKETS PLANNED

Hog Producers and Packers Confer With Representatives of the Food Administration and Agricultural Department and Adopt New Plan of Regulation.

In accordance with the policy of the Food Administration since its foundation to consult representative men in the agricultural industry on occasions of importance to special branches of the industry, on October 24 there was convened in Washington a meeting of the Live Stock Subcommittee of the Agricultural Advisory Board and the special members representing the swine industry to consider the situation in the hog market.

The conference lasted for three days, and during this time met with the executive committee of the fifty packing firms participating in foreign orders for pork products and with the members of the Food Administration directing foreign pork purchases.

The conclusions of the conference were as follows:

The entire marketing situation has so changed since the September joint conference as to necessitate an entire alteration in the plans of price stabilization. The current peace talk has alarmed the holders of corn, and there has been a price decline of from 25 cents to 40 cents per bushel. The fact that the accumulations of low priced corn in the Argentine and South Africa would, upon the advent of peace and liberated shipping, become available to the European market has created a great deal of apprehension on the part of corn holders. This decline has spread fear among swine growers that a similar reduction in the prices of hogs would naturally follow. Moreover, the lower range of corn prices would, if incorporated in a 13-to-1 ratio, obviously result in a continuously falling price for live hogs. In view of these changed conditions many swine producers anticipated lower prices and as a result rushed their hogs to market in large numbers, and this overshipment has added to and aggravated the decline.

The information of the Department of Agriculture indicates that the supply of hogs has increased about 8 per cent., while the highest unofficial estimate does not exceed 15 per cent. increased production over last year. On the other hand, the arrival of hogs during the last three weeks in the seven great markets has been 27 per cent. more than last year, during the corresponding period, demonstrating the unusually heavy marketing of the available supply. In the face of the excessive receipts some packers have not maintained the price agreed last month. On the other hand, many of the packers have paid over the price offered to them in an endeavor to maintain the agreed price. The result in any event has been a failure to maintain the October price basis determined upon at the September conference and undertaken by the packers. Another factor contributing to the break in prices during the month has been the influenza epidemic; it has sharply curtailed consumption of pork products and temporarily decreased the labor staff of the packers about 25 per cent.

The exports of 130,000,000 pounds of pork products for October compared with about 52,000,000 pounds in October a year ago, and the export orders placeable by the Food Administration for November, amount to 170,000,000 pounds as contrasted with the lesser exports of 98,000,000 for November, 1917. The increased demands of the allies are continuing, and are in themselves proof of the necessity for the large production for which the Food Administration asked. The increase in export demands appears to be amply sufficient to take up the increase in hog production, but unfavorable market conditions existing in October afford no fair index of the aggregate supply and demand.

It must be evident that the enormous shortage in fats in the Central Empires and neutral countries would immediately upon peace result in additional demands for pork products which, on top of the heavy shipments to the Allies, would tend materially to increase the American exports, inasmuch as no considerable reservoir of supplies exists outside of the United States. It seems probable that the present prospective supplies would be inadequate to meet this world demand with the return to peace. So far as it is possible to interpret this fact, it appears that there should be even a stronger demand for pork products after the war, and therefore any alarm of hog producers as to the effect of peace is unwarranted by the outlook.

In the light of these circumstances it is the conclusion of the conference that attempts to hold the price of hogs to the price of corn may work out to the disadvantage of pork producers. It is the conclusion that any interpretation of the formula should be a broad gauged policy applied over a long period. It is the opinion of the conference that in substitution of the previous plans of stabilization the Live Stock Subcommittee of the Agricultural Advisory Board, together with the specially invited swine representatives, should accept the invitation of the Food Administration to join with the Administration and the packers in determining the prices at which controlled export orders are to be placed. This will be regularly done. The influence of these orders will be directed to the maintenance of the common object—namely, the stabilization of the price of live hogs so as to secure as far as it is possible fair returns to the producer and the insurance of an adequate future supply.

These foreign orders are placed upon the basis of cost of hogs to the packers.

As the result of long negotiations between this body and the Packers' Committee, representing the 45 to 50 packers participating in foreign orders, together with the Allied buyers, all under the Chairmanship of the Food Administration, the following undertaking has been given by the packers:

In view of the undertakings on the part of the Food Administration with regard to the co-ordinated purchases of pork products covered in the attached, it is agreed that the packers participating in these orders will undertake not to purchase hogs for less than the following agreed minimums for the month of November, that is a daily minimum of $17.50 per hundred pounds on average of packers' droves, excluding throw-outs. "Throw-outs" to be defined as pigs under 130 pounds, stags, boars, thin sows and skips. Further that no hogs of any kind shall be bought, except throw-outs, at less than $16.50 per hundred pounds. The average of packers' droves to be construed as the average of the total sales in the market of all hogs for a given day. All the above to be based on Chicago.

We agree that a committee shall be appointed by the Food Administration to check the daily operations in the various markets with a view to supervision and demonstration of the carrying out of the above.

The ability of the packers to carry out this arrangement will depend on there being a normal marketing of hogs based upon the proportionate increase over the receipts of last year. The increase in production appears to be a maximum of about 15 per cent. and we can handle such an increase.

If the producers of hogs should, as they have in the past few weeks, prematurely market hogs in such increasing numbers over the above it is entirely beyond the ability of the packers to maintain these minimums, and therefore we must have the co-operation of the producer himself to maintain these results. It is a physical impossibility for the capacity of the packing houses to handle a similar over-flood of hogs and to find a market for the output. The packers are anxious to co-operate with the producers in maintaining a stabilization of price and to see that producers receive a fair price for their products.

(Signed) THOS. E. WILSON,
Chairman Packers' Committee.

The plan embodied above was adopted by the conference.

The Food Administrator has appointed a committee, comprising Mr. Thomas E. Wilson, chairman of the Packers' Committee; Mr. Everett Brown, president of the Chicago Livestock Exchange; Major Roy of the Food Administration, Mr. Louis D. Hall of the Bureau of Markets, to undertake the supervision of the execution of the plan in the various markets. Commission men are asked to co-operate in carrying out the plan embodied in the packers' agreement. It must be evident that offers by commission men to sell hogs below the minimum established above is not fair, either to the producer or the participating packers. Mr. Brown has undertaken on behalf of the commission men in the United States that they will loyally support the plan.

It is believed by the conference that this new plan, based as it is upon a positive minimum basis, will bring better results to the producer than average prices for the month. It does not limit top prices and should narrow the margins necessary to country buyers in more variable markets. It is believed that the plan should work out close to $18 average.

Swine producers of the country will contribute to their own interest by not flooding the market, for it must be evident that if an excessive over percentage of hogs is marketed in any one month price stabilization and control cannot succeed, and it is certain that producers themselves can contribute materially to the efforts of the conferences if they will do their marketing in as normal a way as possible.

The whole situation as existing at present demands a frank and explicit assurance from the conferees represented—namely, that every possible effort will be made to maintain a live hog price commensurate with swine production costs and reasonable selling values in execution of the declared policy of the Food Administration to use every agency in its control to secure justice to the farmer.

The stabilization methods adopted for November represent the best efforts of the conference, concurred in by the Food Administration and the Livestock Subcommittee of the Agricultural Advisory Board, together with special swine members and the representatives of the packers, to improve the present unsatisfactory situation, which has unfortunately resulted because of the injection of uncontrollable factors.

We ask the producer to co-operate with us in a most difficult task.

The members of the Conference were:

Producers—H. C. Stuart, Elk Garden, Va., Chairman Agricultural Advisory Board; W. M. McFadden, Chicago, Ill.; A. Sykes, Ida Grove, Ia.; John M. Evvard, Ames, Ia.; J. H. Mercer, Live Stock Commission for Kansas; J. G. Brown, Monon, Ind.; E. C. Brown, President Chicago Livestock Exchange; N. H. Gentry, Sedalia, Mo.; John Grattan, Broomfield, Colo.; Eugene Funk, Bloomington, Ill.; Isaac Lincoln, Aberdeen, S. D.; C. W. Hunt, Logan, Ia.; C. E. Yancey, W. R. Dodson,

Food Administration—Herbert Hoover, F. S. Snyder, Major E. L. Roy, G. H. Powell.

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LOSING A GOLF MATCH.

Just a Little Lack of Concentration Once Defeated Travers.

Writing on golf in the American Magazine, Jerome D. Travers suggests that lack of concentration, particularly with reference to keeping one's eye on the ball, is the greatest cause of bad golf playing. He says that to practice concentration is very difficult, as he knows from personal experience. He then tells the following story showing how he lost a great match through this fault:

"I know how hard this practice is. I have always thought that but for breaking this cardinal precept I might have had a very good chance to beat Hilton in 1911 at Apawamis when the English champion carried away our chief amateur trophy.

"In the morning round over the first eighteen holes I had been playing badly and finished four down. Every one, including Hilton, considered the match all in and over. But in the afternoon I started with a rush and won the first three holes, leaving myself only one down and well within reach. At the next hole I had an easy two foot putt to make to win my fourth straight hole and square the match.

"I have always thought that if I had made that putt the odds would have been in my favor. Now, in putting I make it a set rule to look at the ball until my club has struck the spot I am looking at. I have been able to do this by constant practice of concentration. But on this occasion I had a down hill putt, and I was overanxious. And just before my club struck the ball I looked up, pushed the ball to the right of the cup and missed the shot. This upset me for a moment, and I topped my drive at the next hole, losing it. The combination, coming suddenly, restored Hilton's confidence, which had been ebbing away, and he got going again, with the result that I was beaten three and two."

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